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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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San Francisco, California

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This communication is submitted in response to the office action mailed May 22, 2003
(referred to herein as "Office Action").

In view of the amended claims submitted herein, the additional fee due is calculated as
follows:

	<u>No. of Claims After Amendment</u>	<u>No. of Claims Already Paid For</u>	<u>Additional Claims</u>	<u>Additional Fee Due</u>
Independent Claims:	4	3	1	\$84
Total Claims:	13	20	0	0
<u>Mult. Dep. Claims:</u>	no	no	--	0
Total Fee Due:				\$84

A check in the amount of \$84 is enclosed to cover the fees for the additional claims. Please
charge any additional fee due, or credit any overpayment, to deposit account 07-0137. A copy of the
pages authorizing the charge to the deposit account is enclosed.

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